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#### **Guidelines**

This document contains a standard, language and intercultural competencies, and benchmarks and learning indicators, which are not, and not intended to be, curricula. Curricula are determined at the local level.

A Classical Language is one no longer regularly spoken (at least in its Classical form) and the study of which is mostly focused on reading texts. Even in these languages, it is often didactically useful to use all three communicative modes, but in the end the focus will be on interpretive reading. Some languages exist in both Classical and modern forms (e.g. Ancient Greek vs. Modern Greek), in which case the standard, the language and intercultural competencies, and the benchmarks and the learning indicators described in this document would apply to the Classical form(s).

The normative text in this document is independent of a specific language and can be applied to all Classical languages. The sample learning targets, however, are non-normative and contain examples mostly for Latin and some for Ancient Greek. These can and should be adapted for any other Classical language.

No particular style of Classical language teaching is presumed by this document.

### **STANDARD**

Every learner will learn to understand and interpret the spoken and written forms of a classical language, and to present information, concepts and ideas in historical and relevant contemporary contexts.

Through learning the language, they will gain an understanding of the perspectives of ancient cultures and compare the language and cultures learned with their own.

Adaptation for Classical Languages of the summary of Standards for Foreign Language Learning in the 21st Century

#### **CORE PERFORMANCE COMPETENCIES**

Language Competencies	Cultural Competencies
1. Interpretive Listening (IL) and Reading (IR)	4. Investigation of Cultures' Products and Practices (CPP)
I can interpret information, concepts, and ideas from a variety of adapted or authentic sources on a variety of topics.	I can use my language skills to investigate the world beyond my immediate environment.
2: Interpersonal Communication (IC) I can exchange information, concepts, and ideas on a variety of topics.	5. Understanding of Cultures' Perspectives (CP) I can use my language skills to recognize and understand others' ways of thinking as well as my own.
3. Presentational Speaking (PS) and Writing (PW) I can present information, concepts, and ideas to an audience of listeners or readers on a variety of topics in a culturally appropriate context.	6. Application of Cultural Connections (CC) I can make my knowledge of language and understanding of classical cultures relevant to the modern world.

### **NOVICE LOW (NL) PROFICIENCY LEVEL**

INTERP	RETIVE	INTERPERSONAL	PRESENT	TATIONAL
Learner Benchmark NL.IL Interpretive Listening	Learner Benchmark NL.IR Interpretive Reading	Learner Benchmark NL.IC Interpersonal Communication	Learner Benchmark NL.PS Presentational Speaking	Learner Benchmark NL.PW Presentational Writing
NL.IL I can recognize a few memorized sounds, words and phrases when I hear them spoken.	NL.IR I can recognize a few letters or characters. I can identify a few memorized words and phrases when I read.	NL.IC I can communicate on some very familiar topics using single words and phrases that I have practiced and memorized.	NL.PS I can present information about myself and some other very familiar topics using single words or memorized phrases.	NL.PW I can copy some familiar words, characters, or phrases.
Learning Indicator NL.IL.1 I can occasionally identify the sound of a word.	Learning Indicator NL.IR.1 I can recognize a few letters.	Learning Indicator NL.IC.1 I can greet my peers.	NL.PS.1 I can recite words and phrases that I have learned.	NL.PW.1 I can copy some characters or letters and words that I see on the wall or board, in a book, or on the computer.
<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can recognize the sound of some letters of the alphabet.</li> <li>I can recognize the sound of some combinations of letters of the alphabet.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can correctly identify letters that function differently from those of the English alphabet, e.g., all Greek letters; i, v, c, g in Latin.</li> <li>I can alphabetize a list of names or words.</li> <li>I can recognize some cities on a map.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can say hello and goodbye.</li> <li>I can ask how someone is doing.</li> <li>I can say how I am feeling.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	Sample Learning Targets  I can count from 1-10.  I can list some months and seasons.  I can pronounce names of some mythological characters.  I can	<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can copy the letters of the alphabet.</li> <li>I can copy the characters that I am learning.</li> <li>I can copy a simple phrase like "Happy Birthday," "Hello! My name is," etc.</li> </ul>
Learning Indicator NL.IL.2 I can occasionally understand isolated words that I have memorized, particularly when accompanied by gestures or pictures.	Learning Indicator NL.IR.2 I can connect some words, phrases or characters to their meanings.	Learning Indicator NL.IC.2 I can introduce myself to another person.	Learning Indicator NL.PS.2 I can state the names of familiar people, places, and objects in pictures and posters using words or memorized phrases.	Learning Indicator NL.PW.2 I can write words and phrases that I have learned.

<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can recognize some greetings.</li> <li>I can recognize some color words.</li> <li>I can follow some simple commands.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can recognize a labeled space where my name is required.</li> <li>I can identify an instruction such as <i>Nota Bene</i>.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	Sample Learning Targets  I can tell someone my name.  I can answer how old I am.  I can answer where I live.  I can	<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can name famous landmarks and people.</li> <li>I can name cities on a map.</li> <li>I can list everyday items.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	Sample Learning Targets  I can write my name.  I can write some family vocabulary.  I can make flashcards.  I can
<b>NL.IL.3</b> I can understand that someone is asking a question.		Learning Indicator NL.IC.3. I can answer a few simple questions.	Learning Indicator NL.PS.3 I can introduce myself to a group.	NL.PW.3 I can label familiar people, places, and objects in pictures and posters.
Sample Learning Targets  I can acknowledge that someone is asking my name.  I can acknowledge that someone is asking how I am.  I can perceive that someone is asking a yes/no question.		<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can respond to yes/no questions.</li> <li>I can answer an either/or question.</li> <li>I can respond to who, what, when, where questions.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	Sample Learning Targets  I can state my name.  I can say how old I am.  I can say where I live.  I can	<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can write the names of places on a map.</li> <li>I can list some items I see every day.</li> <li>I can label some items in a room.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>
			Learning Indicator NL.PS.4 I can recite short memorized phrases, parts of poems, and rhymes.  Sample Learning Targets  I can sing a short song.  I can recite a simple poem.	
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CULTURAL COMPETENCIES FOR THE NOVICE PROFICIENCY RANGE
CAN BE FOUND FOLLOWING THE NOVICE HIGH SAMPLE LEARNING TARGETS SECTION

### NOVICE MID (NM) PROFICIENCY LEVEL

INTERPRETIVE		INTERPERSONAL	PRESENTATIONAL	
Learner Benchmark NM.IL Interpretive Listening	Learner Benchmark NM.IR Interpretive Reading	Learner Benchmark NM.IC Interpersonal Communication	Learner Benchmark NM.PS Presentational Speaking	Learner Benchmark NM.PW Presentational Writing
NM.IL I can recognize some familiar memorized words and phrases when I hear them spoken.	NM.IR I can recognize some letters. I can understand some learned or memorized words and phrases when I read.	NM.IC  I can communicate on very familiar topics using a variety of words and phrases that I have practiced and memorized.	NM.PS I can provide information about myself and some other very familiar topics using a variety of words, phrases, and memorized expressions.	NM.PW I can write lists and memorized phrases on familiar topics.
NM.IL.1 I can understand a few courtesy phrases.	Learning Indicator NM.IR.1 I can recognize words and phrases with the help of visuals.	<b>Learning Indicator NM.IC.1</b> I can greet and leave people in a polite way.	Learning Indicator NM.PS.1 I can present information about myself and others using words and phrases.	Learning Indicator NM.PW.1-I can write about myself using learned phrases and memorized expressions.
Sample Learning Targets  I can identify greetings.  I can acknowledge when people express thanks.  I can acknowledge when people say excuse me.  I can	Sample Learning Targets  I can check off words or phrases on a list.  I can identify family member words on a family tree.  I can identify labeled parts of town.  I can	<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can say hello and goodbye to someone my age or younger.</li> <li>I can say hello and goodbye to my teacher.</li> <li>I can say hello and goodbye to a person I do not know.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	Sample Learning Targets  I can say what I look like.  I can say what I am like.  I can say what someone looks like.  I can say what someone is like.  I can say what someone is like.	Sample Learning Targets  I can list my likes and dislikes.  I can list my family members and their relationship to me.  I can write simple statements about where I live.  I can
Learning Indicator NM.IL.2 I can recognize and understand some very basic information.	NM.IR. 2 I can recognize words and phrases when I associate them with things I already know.	Learning Indicator NM.IC.2 I can introduce myself and others.	Learning Indicator  NM.PS.2 I can express my likes and dislikes using words, phrases, and memorized expressions.	Learning Indicator NM.PW.2 I can list activities and write lists relevant to my studies.

Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Target	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
<ul> <li>I can recognize the days of the week and the hour.</li> <li>I can recognize some common weather expressions.</li> <li>I can recognize some countries and cities.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can identify words and phrases related to family.</li> <li>I can identify words and phrases related to social gatherings.</li> <li>I can read simple written directions.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can introduce myself and provide basic personal information.</li> <li>I can introduce someone else.</li> <li>I can respond to an introduction.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can say which Roman or Greek sports I like and don't like.</li> <li>I can list my favorite freetime activities and those I don't like.</li> <li>I can state Roman or Greek favorite foods and drinks and those I may not like.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can write mottoes and abbreviations.</li> <li>I can write the names of buildings in the Roman Forum.</li> <li>I can write a shopping list.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>
Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator
NM.IL.3 I can understand some words and phrases about daily life.	NM.IR.3 I can recognize and understand words and phrases that I have learned for specific purposes.	NM.IC.3 I can answer a variety of simple questions.	NM.PS.3 I can present information about familiar items in my immediate environment.	NM.PW.3 I can write notes about something I have learned using lists, phrases, and memorized expressions.
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
<ul> <li>I can interpret brief statements about the Roman forum.</li> <li>I can recognize simple phrases about the family.</li> <li>I can recognize simple phrases about the house.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can recognize some mottoes and abbreviations.</li> <li>I can recognize the names of some parts of the body.</li> <li>I can recognize some legal terms and phrases.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can answer questions about what I like and dislike.</li> <li>I can answer questions about what I am doing and what I did.</li> <li>I can answer questions about where I'm going or where I went.</li> <li>I can say when I did something.</li> <li>I can say whom I am going to see.</li> <li>I can answer questions about something I have learned.</li> <li>I can express a positive reaction, such as "Great!"</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can tell about a Roman or Greek house and what is in it.</li> <li>I can tell about a Roman or Greek school.</li> <li>I can present basic information about Roman or Greek town or city.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can list the main cities of a specific country.</li> <li>I can write the phrases and memorized expressions connected with holiday wishes and celebrations.</li> <li>I can write something I hear or have heard in a classroom activity.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>

Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator		
NM.IL.4 I can understand some simple questions on familiar topics.	NM.IR.4 I can use prefixes, suffixes and roots to help me understand the meaning of new words.	NM.IC.4 I can ask some simple questions.	NM.PS.4 I can tell about daily activities using words, phrases, and memorized expressions		
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets		
<ul> <li>I can acknowledge when someone asks for my age and where I live.</li> <li>I can perceive when someone asks whether I like or dislike something</li> <li>I can recognize when someone asks me to identify a familiar object.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can recognize that Greek and Latin prepositions are used to make compound words.</li> <li>I can recognize the dictionary entries of different parts of speech.</li> <li>I can recognize and separate the parts of a compound words.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can ask who, what, when, where questions.</li> <li>I can ask questions about something that I am learning.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can say which Roman or Greek sports I like and don't like.</li> <li>I can list my favorite Roman or Greek free-time activities and those I don't like.</li> <li>I can state my favorite Roman or Greek meals and what I like or don't like about them.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>		
		Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator		
		NM.IC.5 I can communicate basic information about myself and people I know.	NM.PS.5 I can present simple information about something I learned using words, phrases, and memorized expressions.		
		Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets		
		<ul> <li>I can say my name and ask someone's name.</li> <li>I can say or write something about the members of my family and ask about someone's family.</li> <li>I can say or write something about friends and classmates.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can talk about holiday celebrations based on pictures or photos.</li> <li>I can name the main cities on a map.</li> <li>I can talk about animals, colors, historical figures, or sports based on pictures or photos.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>		
	CULTURAL COMPETENCIES FOR THE NOVICE PROFICIENCY RANGE				

CULTURAL COMPETENCIES FOR THE NOVICE PROFICIENCY RANGE CAN BE FOUND FOLLOWING THE NOVICE HIGH SAMPLE LEARNING TARGETS SECTION

### NOVICE HIGH (NH) PROFICIENCY LEVEL

INTERP	PRETIVE	INTERPERSONAL	PRESENT	TATIONAL
Learner Benchmark NH.IL Interpretive Listening	Learner Benchmark NH.IR Interpretive Reading	Learner Benchmark NH.IC Interpersonal Communication	Learner Benchmark NH.PS Presentational Speaking	Learner Benchmark NH.PW Presentational Writing
NH.IL I can often understand words, phrases, and simple sentences related to everyday life. I can recognize pieces of information and sometimes understand the main topic of what is being said.	NH.IR I can understand familiar words, phrases, and sentences within short and simple texts. I can usually understand the main idea of what I read.	NH.IC  I can communicate and exchange information about familiar topics using phrases and simple sentences, sometimes supported by memorized language. I can usually handle short social interactions in everyday situations by asking and answering simple questions.	NH.PS I can provide basic information on familiar topics using language I have practiced using phrases and simple sentences.	NH.PW I can write short messages and notes on familiar topics.
Learning Indicator NH.IL.1 I can sometimes understand simple questions or statements on familiar topics.	Learning Indicator NH.IR.1 I can usually understand short simple messages on familiar topics.	NH.IC.1 I can exchange some personal information.	NH.PS.1 I can present information about daily life using rehearsed phrases and simple sentences.	NH.PW.1 I can write about some aspects of daily life.
Sample Learning Targets  I can sometimes follow a simple conversation with questions about what people study and what they do in their free time.  I can sometimes follow a simple conversation with questions about the family.  I can sometimes recognize questions about the identity of characters in texts.	Sample Learning Targets  I can comprehend basic information from a text about a family.  I can usually identify the function of a text, e.g. epitaphs, graffiti, etc.  I can identify the topic of a written dialogue between individuals.  I can	Sample Learning Targets  I can ask and express where someone lives.  I can ask and express someone's nationality.  I can ask and tell about family members and their characteristics.  I can ask and tell about friends, classmates, and teachers.	Sample Learning Targets  I can describe A Roman or Greek family and their friends.  I can describe Roman or Greek school.  I can describe where a Roman or Greek works and what they do.  I can	Sample Learning Targets  I can introduce myself in a letter.  I can describe a school.  I can describe my family and friends.  I can

Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator
NH.IL.2 I can understand simple information when I see pictures and props.	NH.IR.2 I can usually understand short, simple descriptions with the help of pictures or graphs.	NH.IC.2 I can exchange information using texts, graphs or pictures.	NH.PS.2 I can express simple facts about daily life.	<b>NH.PW.2</b> I can write short notes using phrases and simple sentences.
Sample Learning Targets  I can identify when someone describes a person's physical	Sample Learning Targets  • I can interpret simple inscriptions on buildings	Sample Learning Targets  • I can ask and answer questions about Roman family	Sample Learning Targets  I can talk about members of a Roman family by name	Sample Learning Targets  • I can write a postcard message
<ul> <li>I can identify when someone describes a person's physical characteristics from a picture</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can interpret simple inscriptions on buildings.</li> <li>I can interpret simple</li> </ul>	I can ask and answer questions about Roman family members based on a picture.	• I can talk about members of a Roman family by name (pater, mater, filius, filia, etc.)	<ul> <li>I can write a postcard message.</li> <li>I can write a special occasion</li> </ul>
or sculpture.  • I can follow along with	captions under pictures.  • I can read simple cartoons	I can ask and answer questions about what someone	using a prop.  • I can describe buildings in the	message such as a birthday or congratulatory note.
simple mathematic problems when I can see the Roman	and follow the storyline.	is doing in a picture.  • I can answer questions about	Roman world using visual aids, e.g., forum, balnea,	I can write a short announcement, invitation, or
numerals.  • I can note a few facts about	• I can	how someone feels based on a picture.	templum, amphitheatrum.  • I can	thank-you note.
an historical event when someone describes it from an artwork.		• I can	o reali	• I can
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Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator
NH. IL.3 I can sometimes understand the main idea of conversations that I hear.	NH.IR.3 I can usually understand the main idea of published materials.	NH.IR.3 I can ask for and give simple directions.	NH.PS.3 I can present information about a familiar person, place, or thing using phrases and simple sentences.	NH.PW.3 I can write basic information about things I have learned.
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
• I can sometimes interpret if people are talking about a specific character in a text.	<ul><li> I can interpret a Roman calendar.</li><li> I can i interpret basic</li></ul>	<ul><li> I can ask for directions to a place.</li><li> I can tell someone how to get</li></ul>	• I can construct simple sentences about food, e.g., servus cibum parat. Servus	I can label a photo of a     Roman bath and write about     what happens there.
• I can sometimes distinguish if people are talking about Rome or the provinces.	inscriptions on coins.  • I can locate places on maps.	from one place to another, such as go straight, turn left, or turn right.	<ul><li>vinum portat.</li><li>I can describe some members of Roman society and state</li></ul>	• I can write about a topic from a lesson using pictures or photos.
• I can sometimes follow simple directions given by a master to his slave.	• I can	I can tell someone where something is located, such as next to, across from, or in the	their occupations, e.g., servus in culina laborat.  • I can	I can label the buildings on the Acropolis and their purposes.
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Learning Indicator NH.IC.4 I can exchange information about something I have learned.	Learning Indicator NH.PS.4 I can present simple information about something I learned.	
<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can talk about the main idea of a story I have read.</li> <li>I can tell someone simple things about the characters in a story I have read.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can create a presentation including vocabulary connected with Roman daily life based on pictures.</li> <li>I can identify family members, foods, and places based on pictures or photos.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	

CULTURAL COMPETENCIES WITHIN THE NOVICE RANGE				
Learner Benchmark Investigation of Products and Practices N.IPP I can identify some products and practices of cultures.  Learning Indicator N.IPP.1 I can identify and discuss basic products	Learner Benchmark Understanding of Cultural Perspectives N.CP I can identify some basic cultural beliefs and values.  Learning Indicator N.CP. 1 I can identify and discuss codes of behavior.	Learner Benchmark Application of Cultural Connections N.CC I can identify and discuss elements of ancient culture that influence other cultures.  Learning Indicator N.CC. 1 I can identify and discuss how political and		
designed for communication.  Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	legal institutions influence other cultures.  Sample Learning Targets		
<ul> <li>I can identify and discuss the messages on coins that officials sent to people in their territories.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss written documents such as inscriptions and letters.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss the role of roads in the imperial post system.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can identify and discuss key virtues such as dignitas, pietas, gravitas, etc.</li> <li>I can give examples of people who exemplified dignitas, pietas, gravitas, etc. as well as those who did not.</li> <li>I can discuss the importance of codes of honor in military life.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can identify and discuss how the concept of representation in political life influenced current institutions such as the US Senate and House of Representatives.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss how written law influenced European and American law.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss how restrictions on the right to vote in American history mirrors ancient voting practices.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>		
Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator		
<b>N.IPP 2</b> I can identify and discuss basic decorative products.	N. CP. 2 I can identify and discuss attitudes towards various members of society.	N.CC. 2 I can identify and discuss how art and architecture influence other cultures.		
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets		
<ul> <li>I can identify and discuss what pottery tells us about daily life.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss various purposes of painting and mosaics.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss various uses of sculpture.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can identify and discuss how the <i>pater familias</i> affected all aspects of family life.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss attitudes toward slavery.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss attitudes towards women.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can identify and discuss how the ancient representation of the human body influenced Renaissance artists.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss how elements of architecture (columns, capitals, pediments, arches, etc.) influence modern buildings.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss how elements of funereal art (urns, grave markers, monuments, sarcophagi, etc.) influence modern customs.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>		

Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator
<b>N.IPP.3</b> I can identify and discuss basic elements of infrastructure.	<b>N.CP. 3</b> I can identify and discuss attitudes toward politics and law.	<b>N.CC. 3</b> I can identify and discuss how ancient languages influence the languages of other cultures.
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
<ul> <li>I can identify and discuss the uses of aqueducts, baths, and sewers in daily life.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss the elements of dwellings in daily life.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss the function of the forum, amphitheaters, theatres, and circuses in daily life.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can identify and discuss how and why the ancients developed their political systems.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss what factors led the development of the laws of the Twelve Tables.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss views about different kinds of government.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can identify many words in English and other modern languages and discuss how they are derived from familiar Latin and Greek vocabulary.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss how the ancient languages are used in modern religious services and communications.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss how Latin and Greek influence scientific and medical nomenclature and legal terminology.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>
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Learning Indicator N.IPP.4 I can identify and discuss basic political and economic practices.	Learning Indicator N.CP. 4 I can identify and discuss religious beliefs.	Learning Indicator  N.CC. 4 I can identify and discuss how ancient religions influence other cultures.
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
<ul> <li>I can identify and discuss political and legal processes such as the Twelve Tables.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss the basic practices of the Senate and the various magistracies.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss the major trade routes used.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss the basic structure of the military.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can identify and discuss the basic myths and legends.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss how the ancients viewed religions of other peoples.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can identify and discuss how ancient beliefs and religious practices influenced the development of Christianity to the modern day.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss how myths appear in literature through the ages.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss how myths appear in musical works and artistic works.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>
Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator
<b>N.IPP.5</b> I can identify and discuss basic religious practices.	<b>N.CP. 5</b> I can identify and discuss attitudes toward art and literature.	<b>N.CC 5</b> I can identify and discuss how social customs influence other cultures.

Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
<ul> <li>I can identify and discuss the roles and attributes of key deities.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss major religious festivals.</li> <li>I can discuss funeral customs.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can identify and discuss the Romans' attitudes toward Greek literary and artistic genres.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss literary genres such as letters, epic and love poems, historical writing, etc.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss the use of architectural methods and styles.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can identify and discuss how games influence current sporting events such as the Olympics, horse racing, and bull fights.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss how attitudes toward slavery influenced practices in other cultures.</li> <li>I can identify and discuss how marriage customs influence those of today.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>
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N.IPP.6 I can identify and discuss basic social life.		
Sample Learning Targets		
• I can identify and discuss leisure activities, such as games or theatre.		
I can identify and discuss family structure and relationships.		
• I can identify and discuss the treatment of different social groups such as slaves, women and children.		
• I can		

### INTERMEDIATE LOW (IL) PROFICIENCY LEVEL

INTERP	RETIVE	INTERPERSONAL	PRESENT	ATIONAL
Learner Benchmark IL.IL Interpretive Listening	Learner Benchmark IL.IR Interpretive Reading	Learner Benchmark IL.IC Interpersonal Communication	Learner Benchmark IL.PS Presentational Speaking	Learner Benchmark IL.PW Presentational Writing
IL.IL I can understand the main idea in short, simple oration and presentations on familiar topics. I can understand the main idea of simple conversations that I hear.	IL.IR I can understand the main idea of short and simple texts when the topic is familiar.	IL.IC I can participate in conversations on a number of familiar topics using simple sentences. I can handle short social interactions in everyday situations by asking and answering simple questions.	IL.PS I can present information on most familiar topics using a series of simple sentences.	IL.PW I can write briefly about most familiar topics and provide information using a series of simple sentences.
Learning Indicator IL.IL.1 I can understand the basic message of a speech.	Learning Indicator IL.IR.1. I can understand the main idea of factual passages.	Learning Indicator IL.IC.1 I can have a simple conversation on a limited number of everyday topics.	Learning Indicator IL.PS.1 I can talk about people, activities, events, and experiences.	Learning Indicator IL.PW.1 I can write about people, activities, events, and experiences.
Sample Learning Targets  I can infer how Cicero feels about Cataline in his orations.  I can distinguish the main idea of Dido's speech against Aeneas when she learns that he is leaving.  I can recognize when short descriptions of –Greeks or Romans are meant to praise or to mock.  I can	Sample Learning Targets  I can follow the basic steps of a recipe.  I can follow directions to a familiar location.  I can follow instructions for a classroom task.  I can	Sample Learning Targets  I can talk with someone about family or household tasks.  I can talk with someone about hobbies and interests.  I can talk with someone about school or work.  I can	<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can describe the physical appearance of a Roman or Greek that I have read about.</li> <li>I can describe a Roman or Greek character's personality.</li> <li>I can describe a Roman or Greek school or workplace.</li> <li>I can describe a famous historical place.</li> <li>I can present my ideas about something I have learned.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can write a description of the physical appearance and personality of a friend or family member.</li> <li>I can write about a school, workplace, famous place, or a place I have read about.</li> <li>I can write about something I have learned.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>

Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator
IL.IL.2.I can understand questions and simple statements on everyday topics in conversations.	<b>IL.IR.2</b> . I can understand the main idea of literary passages.	IL.IC.2 I can ask and answer questions of factual information that is familiar to me.	IIL.PS.2 I can express needs and wants.	IL.PW.2 I can prepare materials for a presentation.
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
I can follow a simple conversation about a purchase in a market place.	<ul><li> I can interpret the events in a myth.</li><li> I can interpret the lesson of a</li></ul>	• I can ask about and identify familiar things in a picture from a story.	• I can describe what a character has done or is going to do.	I can write out a draft of a presentation that I plan to present orally.
I can follow a simple conversation in a bathhouse about famous gladiators.	<ul><li>proverb.</li><li>I can identify the topic of conversation in a dialogue.</li></ul>	I can ask and respond to simple questions about Greek and Roman culture.	I can describe places characters have visited or planned to visit.	<ul> <li>I can write an outline of a project or presentation.</li> <li>I can write notes for a speech.</li> </ul>
I can interpret a simple prophecy of an augur.	• I can	• I can	• I can	• I can
Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator
IL.IL.3 I can understand the main idea of short, simple stories, plays, and poems when spoken.	<b>IL.IR.3.</b> I can understand the main idea of persuasive passages.	IL.IC.3 I can use the language to meet my basic needs in familiar situations.	<b>IL.PS.3.</b> I can present information on plans, instructions, and directions.	IL.PW.3 I can write about topics of interest.
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
<ul> <li>I can follow the sequence of events in familiar stories.</li> <li>I can recognize the main idea of Catullus' poem 5 when read aloud.</li> <li>I can recognize the main idea of a portion of a retelling of Homer's <i>Odyssey</i></li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can interpret the main reason that Sextus writes to his father.</li> <li>I can distinguish from his speech whether Sabinus wants to stay within the walls of the camp or go.</li> <li>I can distinguish from his funeral oration whether or not Marc Antony supports Caesar.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can borrow various school items (e.g., tabulam, paginam, stylum, librum) that I need for class.</li> <li>I can play Simon Says using classroom commands such as sta, ambula, sede, sta in pede uno, etc.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can explain the rules of a Roman or Greek game.</li> <li>I can give multi-step instructions for preparing a Roman or Greek meal.</li> <li>I can describe what a character's plans were based on an authentic text.</li> <li>I can describe what is needed for a holiday or a celebration.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can write about a text that I like.</li> <li>I can write about a famous person or historical figure.</li> <li>I can write a simple poem.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>

		Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator
		IL.PS.4 I can present songs, short sketches or dramatic readings.	<b>IL.PW.4</b> I can write basic instructions.
		Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
		• I can retell a Roman or Greek folk tale.	• I can write the rules of a game.
		• I can present a Roman or Greek proverb or poem.	• I can write how to prepare something to eat.
		I can participate in a performance of a skit or a	I can write directions to a nearby location.
		scene from a Roman or Greek play.	• I can
		• I can	
		Learning Indicator	
		<b>IL.PS.5.</b> I can express my preferences on topics of interest.	
		Sample Learning Targets	
		I can give a presentation about a Roman or Greek poem, oration, or text that I liked.	
		<ul> <li>I can give a presentation about a famous person or historical figure.</li> </ul>	
		I can present my ideas about something I have learned about Roman or Greek culture.	
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CULTURAL COMPETENCIES FOR THE INTERMEDIATE PROFICIENCY RANGE
CAN BE FOUND FOLLOWING THE INTERMEDIATE HIGH SAMPLE LEARNING TARGETS SECTION

### INTERMEDIATE MID (IM) PROFICIENCY LEVEL

INTERP	RETIVE	INTERPERSONAL	PRESENT	TATIONAL
Learner Benchmark IM.IL Interpretive Listening	Learner Benchmark IM.IR Interpretive Reading	Learner Benchmark IM.IC Interpersonal Communication	Learner Benchmark IM.PS Presentational Speaking	Learner Benchmark IM.PW Presentational Writing
IM.IL I can understand the main idea in messages, orations, and presentations on a variety of topics related to everyday life and personal interests and studies. I can understand the main idea in conversations that I hear.	IM.IR I can understand the main idea and a few details within a series of connected sentences on a familiar topic.	IM. IC  I can participate in conversations on familiar topics using sentences and series of sentences.  I can handle short social interactions by asking and answering a variety of questions.  I can usually say what I want to say about myself and my everyday life.	IM.PS I can make presentations on a wide variety of familiar topics using connected sentences.	IM.PW I can write on a wide variety of familiar topics using connected sentences.
Learning Indicator IM.IL.1. I can understand the	Learning Indicator IM.IR.1. I can understand the	Learning Indicator IM.IC.1.I can start, maintain,	Learning Indicator IM.PS.1. I can make	Learning Indicator IM.PW.1. I can write short
main idea what I hear in an announcement.	main idea and a few details of factual passages.	and end a conversation on a variety of familiar topics.	presentations on something familiar using a series of sentences.	reports about something I have learned or researched.

Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
<ul> <li>I can follow conversations about families.</li> <li>I can identify the main idea and some details when listening to an oral presentation about a topic I am learning.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can follow the sequence of events in Pliny's description of the eruption of Vesuvius.</li> <li>I can follow the movement of troops in Caesar's <i>de bello Gallico</i>.</li> <li>I can interpret an announcement for upcoming gladiatorial games in a Pompeiian graffito.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can be the first to start a conversation.</li> <li>I can ask for information, details, and explanations during a conversation.</li> <li>I can bring a conversation to a close.</li> <li>I can interview someone for a project or a publication.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can-make a short presentation on the physical appearance of a Roman family member or friend with some details.</li> <li>I can-make a short presentation on the characteristics of a historical person.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can write a description of the physical appearance of a Roman family member or friend with some details</li> <li>I can write a description of a typical Roman provincial town.</li> <li>I can write a description of the agora.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>
Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator
IM.IL.2 I can understand the main idea of a podcast or speech.	IM.IR.2 I can understand the main idea and some details of literary passages.	<b>IM.IC.2</b> . I can express my reaction and emotions to others.	IM.PS.2 I can make a presentation on my reaction to something I have learned or researched.	IM.PW.2 I can compose communications for public distribution.
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
<ul> <li>I can identify the main points of a news report on <i>Nuntii Latini</i></li> <li>I can recognize the main idea in a speech given by a senator,</li> <li>I can recognize the main idea of a speech in a play by Sophocles.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can interpret why Pliny the Younger wrote to the emperor Trajan.</li> <li>I can interpret why the Cornelius family is travelling to Rome.</li> <li>I can interpret how Hercules completes one of his labors.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can express happiness or sadness.</li> <li>I can express strong reactions about highly familiar situations, such as gladiatorial combats, animal hunts, and war.</li> <li>I can react to the feelings of others.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can give a short presentation on a famous person, landmark, or cultural event.</li> <li>I can express feelings provoked by the scene of the death of Dido in Vergil's <i>Aeneid</i>, Book 4.</li> <li>I can express my reaction to Juvenal's satire on women.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can post an entry to a blog or a discussion forum.</li> <li>I can compose a simple letter or response.</li> <li>I can contribute to a school or work publication.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>
Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator
<b>IM.IL.3</b> I can understand oral instructions and conversations in familiar settings.	<b>IM.IR.3.</b> I can understand the main idea and some details of a persuasive passage.	IM.IC.3 I can exchange information about academic topics familiar to me.	IM.PS.3. I can present a short skit or dramatic presentation using a series of sentences.	IM.PW.3 I can write messages and announcements.

Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
<ul> <li>I can follow oral directions to a location.</li> <li>I can follow oral instructions on how to complete a task.</li> <li>I can recognize the main idea of a dialogue in a play.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can follow Aeneas' reasons for leaving Dido in Vergil's <i>Aeneid</i> 4.</li> <li>I can note that Cicero is verbally attacking Catiline in the opening lines of his oration.</li> <li>I can identify what is needed for a dinner party according to Catullus in poem13.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can ask questions about factual information I have learned relating to geography, history, art, music, math, science, language, or literature.</li> <li>I can answer questions about factual information I have learned relating to geography, history, art, music, math, science, language or literature.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can act out a fable.</li> <li>I can act out a Greek or Roman mythological story.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can write about common events and daily routines.</li> <li>I can write an autobiographical statement.</li> <li>I can write an invitation or flyer for an event.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>
		Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	
		IM.IC.4. I can ask and answer questions on familiar topics to keep a conversation going.	IM.PS.4. I can express my opinion on familiar topics using a series of sentences.	
		Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	
		I can ask additional questions to get more information.	• I can express my opinion about a cultural topic.	
		<ul><li> I can give more information to explain something.</li><li> I can</li></ul>	I can express my opinion about something I have learned.	
			• I can	

CULTURAL COMPETENCIES FOR THE INTERMEDIATE PROFICIENCY RANGE CAN BE FOUND FOLLOWING THE INTERMEDIATE HIGH SAMPLE LEARNING TARGETS SECTION

### INTERMEDIATE HIGH (IH) PROFICIENCY LEVEL

INTER	PRETIVE	INTERPERSONAL	PRESENT	TATIONAL
Learner Benchmark IH.IL Interpretive Listening	Learner Benchmark IH.IR Interpretive Reading	Learner Benchmark IH.IC Interpersonal Communication	Learner Benchmark IH.PS Presentational Speaking	Learner Benchmark IH.PW Presentational Writing
IH.IR  I can easily understand the main idea in messages and presentations on a variety of topics related to everyday life and personal interests and studies.  I can understand a few details of what I hear in conversations, even when something unexpected is expressed.  I can sometimes follow what I hear about events and experiences in various timeframes.	IH.IR I can easily understand the main idea and most details within a series of connected sentences on a familiar topic. I can sometimes follow stories and descriptions, about events and experiences in various time frames.	IH.IC  I can state my views and carry on conversations on a variety of familiar topics and in uncomplicated situations.  I can participate with ease and confidence in conversations on familiar topics. I can usually talk about events and experiences in various timeframes.  I can usually describe people, places, and things.	IH.PS I can make presentations in a generally organized way on school, work, and community topics, and on topics I have researched. I can make some presentations on events and experiences in various timeframes.	IH.PW I can write on familiar or learned topics in a generally organized way. I can write some simple paragraphs about events and experiences in various time frames.
Learning Indicators IH.IL.1 I can easily understand straightforward information or interactions.	Learning Indicators IH.IR 1 I can easily understand the main idea and some details of a factual passage.	Learning Indicators IH.IC.1. I can exchange information about ancient cultures.	Learning Indicators IH.PS.1. I can make short presentations on ancient perspectives about a variety of topics.	Learning Indicators IH.PW.1. I can write about school and academic topics.

Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
<ul> <li>I can recognize the main idea and a few details of the oral reading of a short poem or passage.</li> <li>I can recognize the main idea and a few details of a short discussion on religious ceremonies.</li> <li>I can follow a conversation between Pullo and Vorenus.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can comprehend Caesar's description of Germanic culture.</li> <li>I can follow the plot of Trimalchio's dinner party.</li> <li>I can identify the main questions Pliny poses to the emperor Trajan about the prosecution of Christians under imperial law.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I provide information about specific historical events.</li> <li>I can ask for and provide information about Roman or Greek hobbies, lifestyles, games, or sports.</li> <li>I can ask for and provide descriptions of places I have read about.</li> <li>I can I can talk about Some Roman and Greek families' history.</li> <li>I can exchange information about Greek or Roman practices and perspectives on a variety of topics, such as religion or bathing.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can explain Roman views on foreign religions in simple terms.</li> <li>I can describe Roman views on other peoples in simple terms.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can write a short letter using the style of a Roman.</li> <li>I can series of steps needed to complete a task.</li> <li>I can write a simple summary about something I have learned.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>
<b>IH.IR.2</b> I can follow short, spoken instructions.	IH.IR.2 I can easily understand the main idea and some details of literary passages.	<b>IH.IC.2</b> . I can clarify my understanding of a text by discussing it with another person.	IH.PS.2. I can make a presentation on something I have learned using connected sentences with many details.	IH.PW.2. I can write about community topics and events.
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
<ul> <li>I can follow oral instructions on how to put on a toga.</li> <li>I can follow oral instructions to draw up in battle formation and maneuvers with my classmates.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can infer Catullus' sorrow at the loss of his brother in poem 101.</li> <li>I can identify some of Augustus' accomplishments in his <i>Res Gestae</i>.</li> <li>I can discern the reasons Dido gives for falling in love with Aeneas in <i>Aeneid.4</i>.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can identify and discuss the reasons for the use of different persons in Catullus' poem 8.</li> <li>I can discuss the view of women as expressed in Vergil's Aeneid Book 4 or Catullus' poem 64.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can give a short presentation on various aspects of Greek or Roman culture, such as politics, religion, the economy, and social status.</li> <li>I can present a Greek or Latin text and discuss its literary characteristics.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can write about a triumphal procession.</li> <li>I can write about the <i>cursus honorum</i>.</li> <li>I can write an account of the Battle of Thermopylae.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>

IH.IC.3. I can participate in a class discussion about ancient culture or texts.	<b>IH.PS.3.</b> I can present a point of view and provide reasons to support it.	IH.PW.3 I can write about an entertainment or social event.
<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can exchange views and opinions about a text and follow a discussion among a group of people.</li> <li>I can exchange views and opinions about various Greek or Roman practices.</li> <li>I can exchange views and opinions about various Greek or Roman beliefs, perspectives, or philosophies.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can deliver a persuasive speech about the use of capital punishment for minors.</li> <li>I can deliver a persuasive speech about the social status of slaves in Roman society.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can write about gladiators in the arena</li> <li>I can write about a wedding.</li> <li>I can write about religious practices.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>
• I can		
IH.PS.4 I can use my language to do a task that requires multiple steps.	a story using connected sentences with many details.	
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	
• I can give the basic rules of a game or sport.	• I can tell a story about a Greek or Roman myth.	
I can ask for, follow, and give instructions for preparing Roman or Greek foods.	• I can summarize the main points of a famous Roman battle.	
I can ask for and follow directions to get from one place to another.	• I can	
I can explain basic rules, policies, or laws that affect us today.		
• I can		

CULTURAL COMPETENCIES WITHIN THE INTERMEDIATE RANGE				
Learner Benchmark	Learner Benchmark	Learner Benchmark		
Investigation of Products and Practices	Understanding of Cultural Perspectives	Application of Cultural Connections		
I.IPP	I.CP	I.CC		
I can explain the significance of some products and practices of other cultures.	I can explain the significance of cultural beliefs and values.	I can explain the significance of elements of culture that influence other cultures.		
Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator		
<b>I.IPP.1</b> I can explain the significance of products designed for communication.	<b>I.CP.1</b> I can explain the significance of codes of behavior.	<b>I.CC. 1</b> I can explain how political and legal institutions influence other cultures.		
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets		
• I can explain the inscriptions on coins and monuments and relate them to events of the time.	• I can tell the difference between idealized cultural values and actual behavior of individuals (Vergil's	I can compare ancient philosophies of government to modern ones.		
<ul> <li>I can explain how Rome communicated by using such means as edicts, sculpture, and inscriptions.</li> </ul>	Roman virtues vs. those of Sallust).  • I can describe the virtues of the ideal woman and	I can compare those who in ancient society made laws to those who enact laws today.		
• I can compare the purposes of different types of letters (from imperial edicts to personal letters).	give examples of those who did or did not live up to them.	I can compare ancient judicial processes to those in other cultures.		
I can explain the ways in which poetry was used to communicate all messages from propaganda to passion.	• I can describe how the military reflects the attitudes of the culture.	• I can		
• I can	• I can			
Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator		
<b>I.IPP.2</b> I can explain the significance of decorative products.	<b>I. CP. 2</b> I can explain the significance of attitudes towards various members of society.	<b>I.CC. 2</b> I can explain how art and architecture influence other cultures.		
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets		
<ul> <li>I can explain how products such as sculpted portraits reflect social and political customs.</li> </ul>	I can explain ways in which the depictions of women in artistic and literary works reflect the attitudes of	I can explain the influence of Roman imperial architecture on architecture of later cultures.		
• I can explain conventions of funeral monuments including materials, and methods of construction as well as elements of inscriptions.	<ul> <li>the culture.</li> <li>I can discuss the marriage practices and how they reflect attitudes towards women and inheritance.</li> </ul>	I can explain how ancient sculpture influenced idealized or naturalistic representation of individuals in other cultures and periods.		
I can identify the nature and purpose of materials and methods of written documents from simple accounts to	I can explain who was educated, in what ways, and to what ends.	I can explain the influence of construction materials and the layout of the Roman road system on the infraction that the resultance.		
editions of literary works.  • I can	I can explain the laws and attitudes governing treatment of slaves in society.	infrastructure of other cultures.  • I can		
	• I can			

Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator
<b>I.IPP.3</b> I can explain the significance of elements of infrastructure.	<b>I.CP. 3</b> I can explain the significance of attitudes toward politics and law.	<b>I.CC. 3</b> I can explain how literature and language influenced those of other cultures.
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
I can analyze the functional and decorative architectural elements of a building.	I can explain the significance of the development of Roman law as a reflection of the changing needs of  Output  Description  Outp	I can explain how literary genres and meters influence those of later cultures.
• I can explain the Romanization of the provinces as reflected in common structures such as amphitheaters, fora, aqueducts, dwellings, etc.	<ul> <li>Roman society.</li> <li>I can explain the attitudes toward tyrants and how those views changed across time and circumstance.</li> </ul>	I can explain how the art of storytelling (myths, legends, parables, etc.) influenced literature of other cultures.
• I can discuss how the form of a structure reflects it function.	I can explain how changes in the use of the army by leaders of the late Republic led to changing views	I can explain the influences of oratory on speechmaking in other cultures and periods.
• I can	<ul> <li>of rule in Rome.</li> <li>I can explain the role of patrons and clients and how they interacted within the political system.</li> </ul>	I can explain the relationship between Roman poetry recitations and modern standup comedy and rap.
	• I can	• I can
Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator
<b>I.IPP.4</b> I can explain the significance of political and economic practices.	<b>I.CP. 4</b> I can explain the significance of religious and philosophical beliefs.	<b>I.CC. 4</b> I can explain how religions influence other cultures.
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
I can discuss the Roman senate and how it conducted its meetings.	• I can explain how festivals and holidays reflect views on life, death, and the relationship to the gods.	I can explain the significance of festivals, such as Saturnalia and Lupercalia, and discuss their influence
I can discuss how the ancients used their military to further their political agenda.	I can explain how the growth of private religions reflected the needs of various members of the	on modern festivals or holidays.  • I can explain how myths influenced painting, music,
I can explain how the ancients interacted with foreign	population.	and sculpture in other cultures.
peoples in terms of trade, conquest, slavery, and diplomacy.	• I can explain the significance of the attitudes toward and uses of various philosophical schools.	• I can
• I can	• I can	
Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator
<b>I.IPP.5</b> I can explain the significance of religious practices.	<b>I.CP. 5</b> I can explain the significance of attitudes toward art and literature.	<b>I.CC 5</b> I can identify and discuss how social customs influence other cultures.
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
I can explain how the Romans adopted religious practices of other peoples and allowed the practice of some local religions.	I can use authentic inscriptions or graffiti to explain the social and political values.	I can discuss the Romans' practices of marriage and how they affected other cultures' attitudes toward women and inheritance.

I can explain the ways in which officials used and abused religious offices for political gain.	• I can explain how the production and distribution of pottery varied among classes.	I can explain ancient coming-of-age practices and compare them to later practices.
I can explain the stories relating to myths and legends as described by Homer, Hesiod, Ovid, and Vergil.	• I can explain how the ancients used poetry to express their views of others.	I can explain the importance of ancient bathing and exercise habits, and their influence on later cultures.
• I can	• I can	• I can
Learning Indicator		
<b>I.CPP.6</b> I can explain the significance of social life.		
Sample Learning Targets		
• I can explain the relationships between various social groups as expressed in law.		
• I can explain the customs of social events (dinners, literary readings, wedding feasts, etc.)		
• I can explain various types of entertainment (theatre, festivals, animal hunts, gladiatorial combats, etc.		
• I can		

### ADVANCED LOW (AL) PROFICIENCY LEVEL

INTERPRETIVE		INTERPERSONAL PRESENTAT		TIONAL
Learner Benchmark AL.IL Interpretive Listening	Learner Benchmark AL.IR Interpretive Reading	Learner Benchmark AL.IC Interpersonal Communication	Learner Benchmark AL.PS Presentational Speaking	Learner Benchmark AL.PW Presentational Writing
AL.IL  I can easily understand the main idea and some supporting details in organized speech on a variety of topics of personal and general interest.  I can easily follow stories and descriptions of some length and in various timeframes.  I can understand information presented in a variety of genres on familiar topics, even when something unexpected is expressed.	AL.IR I can understand the main idea and some supporting details on a variety of topics of personal and general interest.  I can follow stories and descriptions of some length and in various timeframes and genres.	AL.IC  I can participate in conversations about familiar topics that go beyond my everyday life.  I can talk in an organized way and with some detail about events and experiences in various time frames.  I can describe people, places and things in an organized way with some detail.  I can handle a familiar situation with an unexpected complication.	AL.PS I can deliver organized presentations appropriate to my audience on a variety of topics. I can present information about events and experiences in various timeframes.	AL.PW I can write on general interest, academic, or historical topics. I can write organized paragraphs about events and experiences in various time frames.
Learning Indicator AL.IL.1 I understand descriptions and stories of events that have happened or will happen.	Learning Indicators AL.IR.1 I can understand narrative, descriptive, and informational texts of any length for specific purposes.	Learning Indicators AL.IC.1 I can converse about how life has changed over the course of history.	Learning Indicator AL.PS.1 I can deliver short presentations on a number of academic topics	Learning Indicators AL.PW.1 I can write a basic narrative.

<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can easily follow short presentations about famous people in history.</li> <li>I can easily follow descriptions about a marriage that will take place.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can follow Pliny's point of view in his letters to Trajan.</li> <li>I can analyze selections of Holberg's <i>Iter Subterraneum</i>.</li> <li>I can follow Euripides' description of the sacrifice of</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sample Learning Targets</li> <li>I can compare the life of an ancient Roman with the life of a Gaul.</li> <li>I can explain how Latin has influenced modern languages.</li> <li>I can debate whether Roman</li> </ul>	Sample Learning Targets  I can give a short class presentation on Erasmus' views on learning.  I can present a comparison of views of Epicureanism and Stoicism.  I can present a summary of	Sample Learning Targets  I can write a story from the perspective of a slave.  I can write a myth or a fable.  I can write a report about Cicero's political career.  I can
<ul> <li>I can easily follow a story told by a father to his son.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	Iphigenia.  ◆ I can	imperialism was more or less destructive than a contemporary example of imperialism.  • I can	Lucretius' atomic theory.  • I can	
Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicators
AL.IL.2 I can understand the	AL.IR.2 I can read texts that compare and contrast	AL.IC.2 I can converse and	AL.PS.2 I can deliver short	AL.PW.2 I can meet basic
main idea in a variety of genres.	information.	discuss about historical topics	presentations on social and cultural topics.	school and academic writing needs.
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
• I can follow a YouTube		• I can debate about the pros and	• I can provide a rationale for the	I can draft and revise an
poetry reading.	I can read Caesar's comparison of barbarian and roman deities.	cons of Greek democracy  • I can converse about various	importance of slavery in Roman society.	essay or composition as part of a school assignment.
• I can follow simple excerpts from speeches.	I can read Vergil's extended	forms of trade in ancient	I can explain stock characters	I can write an abstract of an
•	similes	society  • I can	in Athenian comedy and tragedy.	article or section of a larger
• I can note some simple information from a movie		- I cuii	• I can describe the practices and	work.  • I can write summaries or
trailer.	• I can		issues around ostracism.	annotations for a research
• I can			• I can	project.
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			Learning Indicator	Learning Indicators
			AL.PS.3 I can explain issues of public and community interest, including different viewpoints.	AL.PW.3 I can meet basic social and civic writing needs.

	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
	<ul> <li>I can present reasons for or against a position on executing Cataline and his associates.</li> <li>I can give a presentation showing opposing views of Roman social reform.</li> <li>I can make a presentation promoting an event, a service, or a product.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I can write an article about an event or project of a club or group.</li> <li>I can manage and edit an online journal, blog, or discussion forum.</li> <li>I can prepare reports and online communications for a social club, community or political group.</li> <li>I can</li> </ul>
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CULTURAL COMPETENCIES WITHIN THE ADVANCED RANGE			
Learner Benchmark Investigation of Products and Practices	Learner Benchmark Understanding of Cultural Perspectives	Learner Benchmark Application of Cultural Connections	
A.IPP	A.CP	A.CC	
I can analyze the significance of some products and practices of other cultures.	I can analyze the significance of cultural beliefs and values.	I can analyze the significance of elements of culture that influence other cultures.	
Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	
<b>A.IPP.1</b> I can analyze the significance of products designed for communication.	<b>A.CP.1</b> I can analyze the significance of codes of behavior.	<b>A.CC. 1</b> I can analyze how political and legal institutions influence other cultures.	
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	
<ul> <li>I can analyze the rhetorical conventions in a speech of Cicero.</li> <li>I can analyze various meters of poetry.</li> </ul>	I can analyze the ramifications of social nonconformity, as evidenced by Cicero's depiction of Clodia in his <i>pro Caelio</i> .	• I can analyze the appropriation of ancient civilizations by later cultures for their own purposes, such as Mussolini's fashioning himself as the next Augustus.	
<ul><li> I can analyze the propaganda on coins.</li><li> I can</li></ul>	• I can analyze the differences in behaviors of various Gallic and Germanic tribes as compared to Romans, in Caesar's Gallic Wars.	• I can analyze the effect of the lack of constitutions on ancient legislative processes and compare them to later constitution-based systems.	
	I can analyze the effects of ostracism in Athenian culture.	• I can	
	• I can		
Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	
<b>A.IPP.2</b> I can analyze the significance of decorative products.	<b>A.CP.2</b> I can analyze attitudes towards various members of society	<b>A.CC. 2</b> I can analyze how art and architecture influence other cultures.	
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	
I can analyze the iconography on a piece of pottery.	• I can analyze the evolving relationship between	I can compare later sculpture to its ancient precedents.	
I can analyze the artistic qualities of various pieces of	Pompey and Caesar.	I can analyze the reasons for the development of the	
jewelry.	I can analyze the social reforms that led to the end of the Republic.	Christian basilica from the Roman basilica and it in turn from the Greek basilica.	
I can analyze the styles of Pompeiian frescoes.	I can analyze the relationship between Athenians and	I can analyze the changing interpretation of snakes in	
• I can	the metics within the city.	jewelry, sculpture, and painting.	
	• I can	• I can	
Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	
<b>A.IPP.3</b> I can analyze the significance of elements of infrastructure.	<b>A.CP. 3</b> I can analyze the significance of attitudes toward politics and law.	<b>A.CC. 3</b> I can analyze how literature and language influenced those of other cultures.	

Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
<ul> <li>I can analyze the layout of a colony or military camp.</li> <li>I can analyze the archaeological layers of an area of</li> </ul>	I can analyze the impact of particular laws, such as those regarding grain distribution.	I can analyze how Latin stylistics defined good prose writing.
Pompeii.  • I can analyze the relationship of the structures on the	I can analyze the effects of manumission on slaves and society.	I can analyze the development of Latin into the Romance languages.
Acropolis.  • I can	I can analyze the laws regarding adoption and inheritance, and their impact.	I can analyze modern literature in terms of its ancient precedents.
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Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator
<b>A.IPP.4</b> I can analyze the significance of political and economic practices.	<b>A.CP. 4</b> I can analyze the significance of religious and philosophical beliefs.	<b>A.CC. 4</b> I can analyze how religions influence other cultures.
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
I can analyze the moral and political implications of the census.	I can analyze the spread of mystery cults throughout the Mediterranean.	I can analyze how modern religion appropriated many customs and practices from ancient paganism.
<ul> <li>I can analyze the debasement of coinage.</li> <li>I can analyze the economic impact of slavery.</li> </ul>	• I can compare the philosophical contributions of the Greeks with those of the Romans.	I can analyze how myths influenced the content of literature, painting, music, and sculpture in other
• I can	• I can assess the philosophical writings of Cicero.	cultures.
	I can analyze the merits of various philosophical schools.	• I can
	• I can	
Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator	Learning Indicator
<b>A.IPP.5</b> I can analyze the significance of religious practices.	<b>A.CP. 5 5</b> I can analyze the significance of attitudes toward art and literature	<b>A.CC 5</b> I can analyze how social customs influence other cultures.
Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets	Sample Learning Targets
I can analyze the spread of Mithraism through the Roman army.	• I can analyze the Roman social climate of patronage and the relationship of Maecenas to various authors.	I can analyze how the ancient practice of slavery was used to justify slavery in later cultures.
I can analyze the ways in which Augustus used religion to further his social programs.	I can analyze the use of spoils of war as social and political propaganda.	I can analyze how trading spread social customs as well as goods, particularly in the area of luxury items such as
• I can synthesize the aspects of Dionysus from the	I can analyze the display of busts and masks in	silk and spices.
Homeric hymns, the <i>Bacchae</i> , Roman laws, etc.  • I can	ancestor worship.  • I can	<ul> <li>I can analyze the social effects of the loss and rediscovery of ancient technologies from the dark ages to the Renaissance.</li> </ul>
		• I can

<b>A.IPP.6</b> I can analyze the significance of social customs.	
Sample Learning Targets	
<ul> <li>I can analyze the relationship between patrons and clients, slaves and masters.</li> </ul>	
• I can analyze the guest-host relationship within the Homeric cycle.	
• I can analyze the social status of gladiators, actors, charioteers, etc.	
• I can	